

## CHAPTER 58

## ISSUANCE OF STATE WARRANTS

S. F. 276

AN ACT to amend section eight point sixteen (8.16), Code 1962, relating to the office of the state comptroller.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section eight point sixteen (8.16), Code 1962, is  
 2 amended by striking the entire section and inserting in lieu thereof  
 3 the following:  
 4 "Each warrant shall bear on the face thereof the signature or a  
 5 facsimile thereof of the comptroller, or the signature or a facsimile  
 6 thereof of an assistant comptroller in case of the vacancy in the office  
 7 of the comptroller; a proper number, date, amount, name of payee, a  
 8 reference to the law under which it is drawn, whether for salaries or  
 9 wages, services or supplies, and what kind of supplies, and from what  
 10 office or department, or for any other general or special purposes what-  
 11 soever, or in lieu thereof, a coding system may be used, which particu-  
 12 lars shall be entered in a warrant register kept for that purpose in the  
 13 order of issuance; and, as soon as practicable after issuing such war-  
 14 rant register, the comptroller shall certify a duplicate thereof to the  
 15 treasurer."

Approved April 26, 1963.

## CHAPTER 59

## AUDIT OF COUNTY AND MEMORIAL HOSPITALS

S. F. 167

AN ACT to authorize examinations of the financial condition and transactions of county and memorial hospitals by certified or registered public accountants in lieu of examinations by the auditor of state.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section eleven point six (11.6), Code 1962, is hereby  
 2 amended by adding thereto the following:  
 3 "Provided however that, in lieu of an examination by state account-  
 4 ants the local governing body of county hospitals organized under  
 5 chapters three hundred forty-seven (347) and three hundred forty-  
 6 seven A (347A) of the Code and memorial hospitals organized under  
 7 chapter thirty-seven (37) of the Code, in case it elects to do so, may  
 8 contract with or employ, but not more than four (4) years in succes-  
 9 sion, certified or registered public accountants, certified and registered  
 10 in the state of Iowa, and pay for the same from the proper public  
 11 funds; in the same manner and under the same conditions as provided  
 12 in sections eleven point eighteen (11.18) and eleven point nineteen  
 13 (11.19) of the Code for cities and school districts. The report of such  
 14 examination of a county or memorial hospital filed by the accountant